THE BRAZIL SQUABBLE

Story of the Situation When Benham Opened Fire on Da Gama.

Leo XIII Longs for Supreme Power in Rome-Affairs in Italy Favorable for a Revolution.

(Copyrighted, 1894, by the Associated Press.) RIO DE JANEIRO, Feb. 4.-The Associated Press correspondent in this city has made as thorough an investigation as is possible under the circumstances of the causes which led up to the recent demonstration by Admiral Benham in this harbor in defense of American shipping, which has been subjected for a long time to the reckless firing of the insurgent fleet. As a result of the inquiries the following facts have been obtained: So long as Admiral De Mello was in charge of the insurgent vessels in Rio bay and the head of the revolutionary movement, no blockade was permitted in this harbor. Vessels of foreign nations were permitted freely to enter the bay, discharge their cargoes at the wharves, reload and depart. When Admiral Da Gama, after issuing his pronunciamento against Peixoto, deserted the government, joined Mello and issued his famous imperial manifesto, he declared with a great deal of emphasis that he meant from that time forth to stop all commerce with Rio de Janeiro, and by this means practically destroy the revenue which the Brazilian government was receiving from this source. England, he announced, as if on authority of British officials, was anxious for the restoration of monarchy throughout Brazil and the overthrow of reciprocity. With this powerful backing he appeared to think that he was fully warranted in his autocratic action. Following close on this declaration he issued a warning to all vessels, no matter of what nationality, that they must not attempt to discharge their cargoes or they would rue it. Following this example set by their superior officer, the other insurgent leaders made use of the same threats. When information of what they had done reached the cars of the United States minister, Mr. Thompson, he immediately made protest, in the course of watch he insisted that Admiral Da Gama had no right to institute such a blockade. No matter what the ministers of the other countries thought of the order, Mr. Thompson protection for all vessels flying the flag of his country. Minister Thompson did not rest satisfied with this protest, but promptly paid a visit to Commander Henry F. Picking, who was then in command

tection to all American vessels. In reply to Minister Thompson, Commander Picking said that if an American sailor was shot while his vessel was in the act of discharging her cargo he would promptly prosecute the captain of the rebel war ship which was responsible for the sailor's death. Beyond this Commander Picking seemed unwilling to go, and Minister Thompson was thus rendered powerless to do anything more for the protection of American ship-

American war ships there, and asked him

in the most decided manner to afford pro-

Now everything is changed, owing to the determined action of Admiral Benham, who has assured the captains of American vessels that he will protect their ships and lighters so far as he is able. At the same time, however, he has warned these captains that he cannot prevent them from running the risk of chance shots at the wharves. It is impossible to discharge cargoes elsewhere. All the tugs used in towing the ves-sels are owned by Brazilians, and Admiral Da Gama threatens to promptly seize them if they tow lighters which are discharging. Admiral Benham thinks that the risk at the wharves is slight, but he refuses at present to advise American captains how they should act. He is determined, however, to afford them all the protection he The reported sinking of the torpedo boat on Monday last was without foundation.

THE POPE'S DESIGNS. His Dearest Wish, It Is Said, Is to

Recover Rome. ROME, Feb. 4.—Count Soderini, Pope-Leo. XIII's secret chamberlain, has written a pamphlet, entitled "Rome and the Government During the Past Twenty-five Years." The author maintains that it is essential for real liberty that the Pope should repover Rome, but adds that Leo XIII will readily discuss other means if any are suggested, as his dearest wish is for the wel-

fare of Italy. A Crash Coming. Three important interviews have been obtained by a reporter of the Figaro in Rome, one with Sig. Crispi, one with Sig. Rudini and one for a cardinal speaking for the Pope at the Vatican, whose name is

Crispi declared that the troubles in Sicily were greatly exaggerated by the newspapers, which were becoming a "regular plague." They were printing all sorts of absurdities. The French journals were most to blame, and, unfortunately, the Italian papers were imitating them closely. But, happily, the evil was diminishing. It is known now that the stories about French influence and French plots in Sicily were false. "It was even reported," con-tinued Sig. Crispi, "that a French vessel arrived from Tunis freighted with a cargo of dynamite. What nonsense! Dynamite is precisely the thing that hurts the workmen far more than it hurts a government, for the simple reason that it weakens the necessary public security. In one month order will be completely restored in Sicily."

Sig. Rudini said that it was useless to try to discover any one special cause for the existing state of things in Sicily, because the causes were numerous and cause the causes were numerous and varied. But as for the reported secret meddling of the French in Sicily, the thing was absured. If France captured the island it would, of course, raise an international question, and the active intervention of Germany, and perhaps England, would be sure to follow. Why should France raise such a difficulty for herself? And why should any sensible Frenchman believe that Italy could be induced by noise in the streets or through any other motive to declare war upon France? To mobilize the Italian army it would require a million in cold cash. Nobody can foresee the future, but at the present time war seems an eventuality further away than ever it was.

"Does the revolution seem threatening to you, Monsignor?" asked the Figaro report-er of the prelate in the Vatican, who was authorized to reply to him.
"My dear friend," said the latter, "God said to the Jews, 'Pray that your flight make take place before the winter.' For my part, I pray that the revolution may not arrive until our vacation, when I shall no longer be in Rome. But don't imagine that it will be a triumph for the Vatican; it would be purchased too dearly. Therefore we will do nothing to support it or to hasten it. In the monarchy there is sort of principle of honor which would probably hinder King Humbert from despoiling us completely; but the republic would not find that obstacle before it. It would be free to act, from the fact that our ruin would appear to be the work of the regime which it destroyed. We are, therefore, not inclined to favor the revolution; but, unfortunately, we are powerless to hinder it or even to retard it.' "Do you fear that this revolution may not be pacific?

'As to that, I cannot say. We are in the position in which France was in 1790, when the unfortunate King Louis XVI allowed the people to see that the interests of the dynasty were absolutely opposed to the interests of the nation. The evil comes especially from this military organization, which is absolutely out of all proportions with the resources and the necessities of the country. It was proposed to reduce the army. The King opposed the proposal with energy. It was a question

of prestige for the crown far more than a question of security. Hence the antagonism which is now evident. It should be remembered that if the Italians of the south do not like France they do not like Germany either, and that the alliance, which is now contrary to their interest, was never dictated by their sentiments."
"Do you believe, Monsignor, that the crash will come under the present pontifi-"I cannot say what I believe, my friend, but I am acting as if it was bound to come during the present year of 1894.

MURDER AND SUICIDE.

A Lover Kills His Sweetheart and Then Ends His Own Life.

BOSTON, Feb. 3.-Walter Johnson, a Swede, thirty years of age, living in Gloucester, shot and killed Miss Carrie I ... Andrews and then himself in this city to-

Shortly before noon the occupants of the Warren Building, at No. 2 Park street, were startled by hearing four shots in rapid succession, which seemed to come from the fourth floor of the building. Upon investigation it was found that a murder and suicide and attempt to murder had been perpetrated in one of the apartments on the fourth floor, which is partially occupled by Miss Clara Munger, a teacher of music. The victim was Miss Carrie L. Andrews, of Essex, who had come to this city to take her music lesson. She was found with a hole in her cheek and another in her left temple, and, close beside her, was the murderer, Walter Johnson, of Gloucester, who, a few minutes before, had entered the room with Miss Andrews and was going to wait for her until she had finished her lesson. In addition to having shot himself twice with the revolver Johnson had cut his wrist with a razor. Janitor Munroe, on hearing the shots, ran to the room, which he found locked from the inside. He attempted to force the door, when a bullet came whizzing through the panel, grazing his shoulder and embedding itself in the wall opposite the door. On examination of the murderer's pock-

ets a batch of letters were found which gave the cause of the tragedy. It was learned that Johnson had been engaged to Miss Andrews for the past two years, against the better judgment of the girl's parents, who were of the opinion that Johnson was not the man who would make their daugnter happy. They finally induced their daughter to break the en of the letters were written during the month of January, and all of them begged Johnson to keep away from Essex, pleading with him to lead an upright life, and hoping that in the future the engagement might be renewed. The letters were signed "Caddle Low." Miss Andrews was about seventeen

years of age. It is learned that after the breaking of the engagement between the two, Johnson entered proceedings against Miss Andrews for breach of promise, and it was only yes-terday afternoon that he called on his lawyer, A. M. Donohue, of Gloucester, and said that he was going to shoot the girl. Mr. Donohue attached but little importance to the threat at the time, but after Johnson persisted in making the threat he thought it would be a matter of precaution to advise Charles H. Andrews, of Gloucester, an uncle of the girl. Mr. Andrews went at once to the city marshal and repeated what the lawyer had told him and requested that Johnson be locked up. The city marshal re-fused to do this until evidence of malicious threats had been given more than the re-marks of a client to his lawyer.

FIGHT WITH BANDITS.

Evans and Morrell Give Officers a Warm Reception.

FRESNO, Cal., Feb. 4.-A fight occurred between the bandits Evans and Morrell and Deputy Sheriffs Timmins and Boyd in Slippery Rock county, about twenty miles east of Dinuba, this afternoon. Officers were looking for the bandits in that neighborhood and were riding in a cart. When they got near the place of a rancher named Robinson Timmins alighted and started toward the house. He had only gone a short distance when Evans and Morrell came out of St. Clair's house near by and immediately opened fire on the officers. The latter had the advantage of being separated and could have raked the bandits from both sides, as Evans and Morrell were in a line between them. Instead, it is reported, the officers took to flight, the bandits diligently firing on them. After the officers had fled some distance they returned a few shots without, however, ceasing to fly. Timmins and Boyd in their flight became separated. the former finally turning up at Dinuba and the latter at Reedley. Timmins telephoned the news of the fight to Sheriff Scott, who started for Sanger this evening with Deputy Rapelje. The robbers fired about twenty-five shots and the officers a Another report has it that the officers made a bold stand, but were under a disadvantage, as the bandits were under cover.

No further particulars can be got here at FIGHT WITH A POSSE.

South Carolina Officers Make a Raid on a "Speak Easy."

SPARTANSBURG, S. C., Feb. 4.-A warrant was placed in the hands of Sheriff Dean yesterday for Ballew, William Centre, Berry Moore and two sons at Welford for violation of the dispensary laws. About 7 o'clock last night Boyce Dean, the sheriff's deputy, and Constable Frank Massey, Jackson West and Pearson went out to make the arrest. They reached Ballew's about midnight, but before they got to the house the whisky was out in a swamp. They saw Berry Moore, and Dean ordered him to halt and surrender. Instead he on them. The fire was returned by posses and Moore was shot through About twenty shots were exchanged. The constables then went toward Ballew's house and met him in a field. Dean ordered him to hold up his pistols and surrender. He did not obey and Constable Massey shot him in the breast, killing him instantly. No whisky was cap-tured. The coroner held an inquest today, but no verdict had been reached when last heard from. This took place about a mile and a half east of Welford. Ballew recently moved from the mountains. The Moores also come from the mountains.

THE JURY "FIXED."

Three Priests Subpoenaed to Appear in the McNamara Case.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 4.-Subpoenas were issued last night for Bishop Hogan. Father Dalton and Father Lilly to appear as witnesses in the trial of ex-priest Mc-Namara for the alleged slandering of Mother Rose Vincent, which will be held next Thursday. The defense in the Father Dalton case, which was tried last Thursday and in which the jury found the defendant guilty, claim to have evidence that two of the jurors had declared before the trial that they would find McNamara guilty whether he was or not. Another of the jurors, it is claimed, was a deputy marshal, and on these grounds it is expected a new trial will be granted.

FATHER CASPANETA SLAIN.

The Mexican Revolutionary Priest Killed with Ten Followers.

CITY OF MEXICO, Feb. 4.-Father Caspaneta, the revolutionary priest, has finally lost his life while in the act of leading armed forces against the government in the mountainous regions of the State of Mexico. It will be remembered that Father

Caspaneta was one of the leaders in the recent revolutionary movement which resulted so ingloriously in the State of Guerrero. He was captured along with General Canuto Neri and placed in solitary confinement in Belem prison. He was in prison only a few days when he made his escape and in some unaccountable manner found refuge among Catholic sympathizers of the State of Mexico, where he quietly worked up a strong feeling against the government and organized a force of about one hundred men. With this small army he made an attack on a hacienda in the State of Mexico and secured a large lot of supplies. They were pursued and retaken by a troop of cavalry commanded by Colonel Solin, and in the fight that followed the priest was killed. Ten of his followers were

THE CHILDS FUNERAL

Sermon to Be Preached by His Old Friend, Bishop Potter.

Expected that President Cleveland an His Cabinet Will Attend in a Body-Resolutions.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 4.-There was probably not a single church in this city in which some touching allusion was not made to-day to the memory of George W. Childs. At St. James Protestant Episcopal Church, of which the deceased was a vestryman, an eloquent tribute was paid by the pastor, Rev. Joseph N. Blanchard. There were few callers at the house to-day, and these consisted of intimate friends of the family. The arrangements for the funeral are nearly completed. There will be brief private services at the residence, to be followed by a public service at St. James Church at 1 o'clock on Tuesday. Bishop Potter, of New York, for many years an intimate friend of Mr. Childs, will officiate. He will be assisted by Bishop Whitaker, of Philadelphia, and Rev. Dr. Blanchard, the pastor of the church. The remains will be temporarily interred in the Drexel mausoleum at Woodland Cemetery, the body to be placed in the catacomb next to the one occupied by the remains of the late A. J. Drexel, the business partner and boon companion of Mr.

will attend the funeral in a body. The list of honorary pallbearers is nearly completed, but Joseph W. Paul, who is in charge of arrangements, will not announce the names until he has received acceptances. There will be about thirty names on the list. Arrangements are being made for spe-cial trains from New York and Washington to accommodate those who expect to attend the funeral. It has not yet been offi-clally announced, but it is expected that President Cleveland, with the members of his Cabinet, and several Senators and Congressmen, will attend. A meeting of the employes of the Public Ledger was held this afternoon. Col. M. Richards Muckie, who has been employed on the paper over fifty years, acted as chairman. Addresses were made, at which a minute attesting to the esteem in which the deceased had been here was adopted. The minute is as follows: "The employes of the Public Ledger, having lost by the death of George W. Childs

one who has stood to them in the relation of a kind and considerate father, find it impossible to express in formal resolutions a due sense of their great loss, but nevertheless seek to record in this minute their high appreciation of his character as it has been revealed to them in daily intercourse He was the embodiment of kindness and benevolence, his broad sympathies made him a citizen of the world and not merely those associated with him socially and in business, but humanity itself lost a generous friend and noble exemplar by his death. It would be unjust to his memory, however, to allow it to be supposed that the most obvious characteristic of his nature the position of a sympathetic heart that knew no impulses that were not kindlywas his sole claim to distinction. He was broadminded and helpful in every way. All his writings and publications were well considered efforts to uplift humanity, to promote 'peace on earth, good will to men; to strengthen and succor the downfallen; to help and encourage the ambitious. He was a philanthropist, it is true, but he was more than that; he was 'guide, counselor and friend' to all who came within the scope of his wide-reaching influence. Of Mr. Childs it may be said as he said of Mr. Drexel: "We, to whom he gave so much that was vital, such as affection, friendship, faith, can scarcely think of him as lost, but rather as one who has gone into more life, into a fuller, better life than

he ever knew, as one that we shall happily meet in that far country."" MEMORIAL TO CHILDS.

graphical Union Passed. WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.-The following

Touching Resolutions of a Typo-

resolutions were adopted by Columbia Typographical Union, No. 101, at a meeting held this afternoon in memory of the late "An honorary member of Columbia Ty-pographical Union, No. 101, has answered

the sweet angel's call. The soul of George W. Childs has departed and his spirit is now a sublime factor of that place where all is heavenly and pure. The announcement of his death is heard with keen and painful sorrow, and we mourn his loss in common with a grief-stricken people. He was a true friend to the union printer, and his name is honored by every consistent member of the craft. The magnanimity of the departed philanthropist reached its zenith in a gift to the mother institution of our organization, and we shall ever revere the memory of him who now holds sweet communion with the heavenly subjects of his Maker. To the devoted and Christian wife we extend our sincerest sympathy, and condole with her in her hour of affliction and bereavement. It was her sweet influence that in part directed and persuaded the many kindnesses of him whose death we deeply mourn."

Telegrams to Mrs. Childs. PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 4 .- Among the hundreds of telegrams received by Mrs. Childs were those from the following, offering condolence:

Grover Cleveland, Benjamin Harrison, J G. Carlisle, W. Q. Gresham, H. A. Herbert, W. S. Bissell, J. Sterling Morton, Joseph Jefferson, Melville E. Stone, Senator John Sherman, A. P. Gorman, Governor Robert Pattison, of Pennsylvania, the Bishop of California, Julia Marlowe, Senator Justin S. Morrill, C. H. Jones, editor of the World E. Rosewater, of the Omaha Bee; Abraham S. Hewitt, John A. Cockerill, of the New York Advertiser; St. Clair McKelway, of the Brooklyn Eagle; Horace White, C. Vanderbilt, Whitelaw Reid, Daniel C. Gilmon, president of Johns Hopkins Univer-sity; John R. McLean, of the Cincinnati Enquirer; Murat Halstead, ex-Speaker Reed, H. H. Kohlsaat, of the Chicago Inter Ocean, and M. H. De Young, of the San Francisco Chronicle.

HOPE FOR GAS BELTS.

Findlay Men Have a Scheme of Pumping Air Into Trenton Rock.

FINDLAY, O., Feb., 4.-Application has been made by two Findlay men for a patent on a discovery of importance in natural-gas regions. The plans have been figured out by William Herkert, mechanical engineer of this city. The new discovery is the practicability of pumping air down into the Trenton rock and creating an artificial pressure there, which will force the natural gas to the surface through other wells and into the city's lines. Down in the boweis of the earth, where natural gas was once abundant, there is still a bountiful supply, but the pressure has become reduced. The air will be forced down one of the wells, and as the pressure gradually increases it will permeate the rock, and the result will, it is claimed, be seen in the strong flow of gas from the neighboring wells. It is claimed that the air forced into the natural-gas strata would become carbonized, and as it required at east 90 per cent. of air to make gas burn ts best, the pressure could be raised to at least nine times its present volume, and give gas of the proper form for burning.

TRAMPS RIOTING.

Held Up People in Daylight and Seven Are Now in Jail.

KALAMAZOO, Mich., Feb. 4 .- Tramps have infested this city to a remarkable degree to-day. Half a dozen persons were held up by them during daylight. The gang attempted to leave town on a freight train, but were driven back after a sharp battle, during which some were slightly Saturday evening. He wore a plush cap, brown overcoat and striped trousers. wounded. Seven were arrested.

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City Will Not Get the Unexpended Encampment Balance.

Mr. Scott's Opinion Will Be Given to the Council To-Night-Other Matters to Come Up.

The city will receive not one cent of the

\$12,000 of the encampment fund now held by the assemblage committee of the Commercial Club, and which has been the subject of so much comment recently. This will be the decision of the city attorney in the opinion which he will submit to the Council at its regular meeting to-night. The unexpended balance amounted to \$17,-000, of which sum \$5,000 was paid to Secretary Fortune, and the remaining \$12,000 has been a bone of contention since the accounts of the encampment were balanced. Equity would say that the city was entitled to it, and the city attorney was ordered to investigate the legal rights of the city to demand its refunding, and begun at once to do so. With Mayor Denny he has been investigating the city's claim to the funds, and has found that the city has no legal claim upon the money. The cause of the loss of this money to the city was the stupidity of the last administration, which made the grant. The present city authorities are confronted with a legal situation to which they are compelled to submit, though it means a loss to the city of a large sum of money. The ordinance granting the appropriation for encampment purposes was made to the Commercial Club without reservation and without provision that all funds subscribed by individual citizens should be exhausted before the appropriation by the city was made use of. I'ms being the case, when it came to a disbursement of the funds for necessary expenses the club drew the money and posted it upon their books as being drawn from the fund of the city. Thus they exhausted the fund appropriated by the city, and the balance remaining can be claimed to be the balance from the fund subscribed by individual citizens. Under tirs state of facts the club was in a position to say to the city, when the money was demanded, that the money appropriated had all been appropriated. With the appropriation ordinance void of any reserving clause the city has no claim upon the money, and it will get none of it. City Attorney Scott was asked yesterday if this would not be his opinion submitted to the Council tonight. He would not deny that such was the substance of his opinion, neither would he confirm it. He replied that he did not feel at liberty to make his opinion public till it was submitted to the Council. Mayor Denny said the question had been submit-ted to the city attorney, and if he (Denny) knew what the substance of that opinion would be he would not feel at liberty to disclose it in advance of its being submitted to the Council by the attorney. The question of extending the time on

the vehicle license will also come up before the Council, and it is thought they will grant the extension. It was originally intended to have the time for the penalty to attach on the last day of April, but this was ubsequently changed. It is probable now that the time will be extended to the original day.

The question of the advisability of annexing West Indianapolis will also probably come up for consideration. There is an annexation spirit of a strong kind in the suburb, and it is looked upon favorably by

GRAVE CHARGE AGAINST YEAGER.

residents of the city.

A Virginia-Avenue Druggist Charged with Responsibility for a Death.

George F. Yeager, a druggist at No. 305 Virginia avenue, was arrested last night by detectives Splann and Wilson. The charge against the prisoner is criminal malpractice. His arrest was brought about through information filed with the coroner by the physicians who attended Mrs. Theresa Balser, of No. 229 Charles street. Mrs. Balser died at 10 o'clock Saturday night after three days of intense suffering from peritonitis. Dr. Denson, the physician, called in during the advanced stage of the illness, secured from the patient the facts that led to the arrest of Yeager. Mrs. Balser admitted that she had been the victim of a criminal operation, and said that Yeager, the druggist, was responsible. Yesterday the family placed the remains in charge of undertaker Tutewiler, who was unable to secure a death certificate, which would be required by the railway company transporting the body. Dr Denson refused to sign the certificate, and, learning that the remains were about to be taken from the city, told the coroner of his suspicions. That official ordered an autopsy at once.

Yesterday afternoon, with Drs. Denson and Kahlo, the coroner performed the autopsy, which showed that a criminal operation had been performed. Late yesterday evening the coroner, in company with Dr. Kahlo, called at the Yeager drug store. The proprietor became nervous, but consented to explain what he knew about Mrs. Balser's case. His statement was taken in writing, and was of some length. He admitted that he had treated Mrs. Balser without a physician's license. He said that she came to his store about ten days ago in company with her husband. On this occasion he brought into use a number of instruments, which, in the hands of an unskilled practitioner, are dangerous. He further admitted that the woman called a second time upon him, and that he visited her at her own home during the first of last week. He avers that he was guilty of no crime, and contends that he employed no forbidden remedies in his treatment of his patient. Dr. Denson has for a year been the family physician of the Balsers, but he was not called in this case until the patient was in a dying condition. Both Dr. Denson and Dr. Kahlo are convinced that the wom-an's death was the result of the criminal use of instruments in the hands of a bungling and unskillful physician. Yeager admits that he charged Mrs. Balser \$10 on her

first visit to his office Yeager is nearly fifty years old and has a family. He does not possess a physician's diploma, and, in fact, has never practiced medicine. He is now a student at the Central College of Physicians and Surgeons. He refuses to talk about the case, except to the police authorities. Yesterday afternoon he consulted with attorney Spaan, and before he was arrested employed the lacter to look after his case. Charles Balser, the husband of the dead woman, is a baker and is known as a hardworking man. His wife was twenty-nine years old. She was the mother of four children, the youngest being a babe four months old. The body of the dead woman was taken to New Albany last night for

A CHILD SUFFOCATED.

John Buffigton's Little Daughter Found Dead in Bed.

John Bufflington, living at No. 79 Montana street, awoke yesterday morning to find his infant daughter a corpse. The child was lying at the side of its mother and had been dead for several hours. Coroner Beck was called to investigate the case and concluded that death was due to suffocation. The child was two months old.

CITY NEWS NOTES.

C. F. Dieterich and A. V. Proal, of New York city, owners of the Indianapolis Gas Company, are at the Bates. President Hicks, of the Zigzag Cycling Club, was lying at his home on North Delaware street, last night, dangerously ill. and his death was momentarily expected.

A Daughter Accuses Her Father. Patrolmen Diltz and Leppert last night arrested Riley McBride, aged fifty-three years, and living at No. 444 West Washington street. His daughter Nettle, aged sixteen years, is now being held at the police station as a witness against him on account of an offense committed by him against her over a year ago. The matter has recently come to the knowledge of patrolman Diltz, who investigated the ciaims of the girl and then arrested the

Ray Henry Missing. Ray Henry has been missing from his home, No. 161 Meek street, since 7:30 o'clock

Seven Murders in a Month. PITTSBURG, Kan., Feb. 4.-The seventh murder in this vicinity since Jan. 1 was committed last night, a woman named Al-

lester being the latest victim. She went to a saloon in the northeast part of the town kept by a Frenchman named Edward Bouissant, and there the murder was committed. This morning an ore hauler saw a body lying in a hollow by the Missouri Pacific track, and an investigation revealed that it was terribly mutilated. Bouissant, his wife and son are in jail charged with the crime. Tracks in the snow were found leading from the saloon to the place where the body was found.

CRUSHED IN THE CHURCH.

Heavy Wind and Rainstorm Struck Gate City, Ala.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Feb. 4.-A heavy wind and rainstorm passed over this city last night. At Gate City, six miles from here, the Congregational Church was blown down and a number of persons were injured. The Christian Endeavor Society, which was composed of thirty women and children, was holding a meeting at the time. The roof was crushed in, burying them beneath the debris. Nearly every person in the building was more or less injured. Those injured the most seriously

Mrs. R. I. Pritchett, leg broken and internally injured; will die. Mrs. James Miles, internally injured; will die. Charles Olsen, thigh broken; probably fatally in-The others are not seriously hurt. The building was a small frame structure, oth-

erwise many would have been killed. In this city several roofs were blown off of houses, but no one was injured.

CHRISTIAN ALLIANCE.

Professor Briggs Looks for a Universal Church in the Future.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Feb. 4.-Professor Briggs, of the Union Theological Seminary. preached to-day in the United Church. The substance of the discourse was that there was only one saving faith. The world, he said, was torn with dogmatic teachings, and denominationalism has been the great curse of American Christianity. It exists nowhere else in the world in such a terrible manner as in America.

"If we were not a very wealthy country," continued the preacher, "it would have been disastrous to Christianity in this country. The greatest church dissensions have been due to the struggles among men to see who would be highest." He thought the time was coming when there would be a Christian alliance the world over, and that there would be a universal church.

Leo Decides Against Burtsell.

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—It is officially announced here that the case of the Rev. Dr. Richard Lalor Burtsell, which has been under consideration at Rome for some months, has been decided against him. The case is important, for the reason that it was a continuation of Dr. McClynn's case.

Lewelling Must Get Out. TOPEKA, Kan., Feb. 4.—State Labor Commissioner Todd will probably resign tomorrow. The demand for his removal by

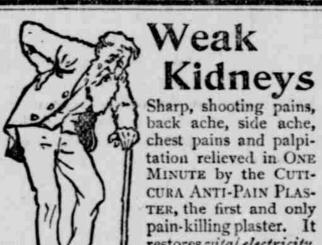
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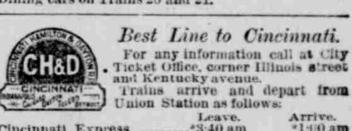
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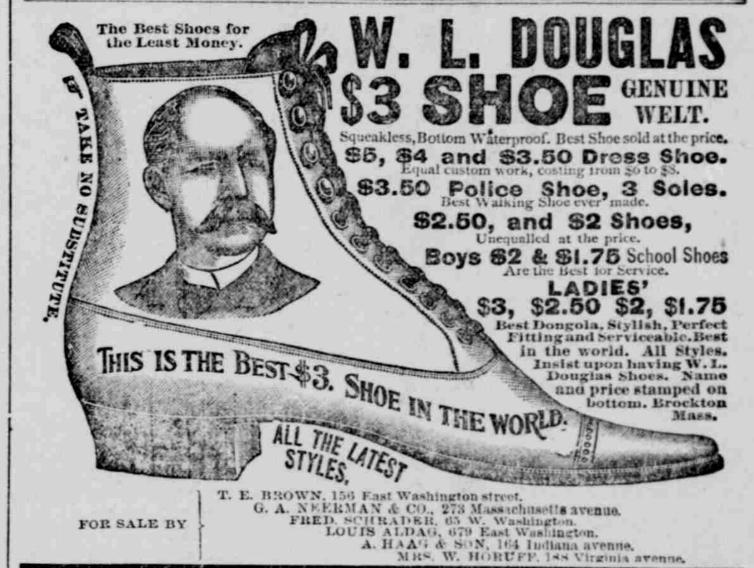
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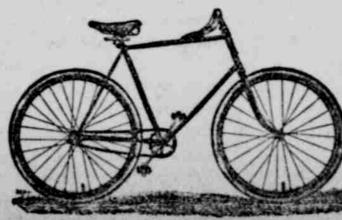
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